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# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

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#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, LARRY H. WEINBER	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompany	ing financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
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of DECEMBER 3	
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classified solely as that of a customer, ex	
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(g) Computation of Net Capital.	
(h) Computation for Determination	of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
☐ (i) Information Relating to the Poss	session or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
(j) A Reconciliation, including appr	opriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
	of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
	dited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
consolidation.	
(I) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplement	
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<pre>X (0) Independent auditors' **For conditions of confidential treatme</pre>	report on internal control structure. nt of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. New York, New York

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. as of December 31, 2005, and the related statements of operations, changes in stockholder's equity, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. as of December 31, 2005, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting standards generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in the supplementary schedules listed in the accompanying index is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures



applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Schneider + associates LLP

Jericho, New York February 10, 2006

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2005

ASSETS	3
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Cash Due from affiliates Furniture and equipment at cost, less accumulated	\$ 160,027 3,325
depreciation of \$2,258 Prepaid expenses	23,852 6,750
Total assets	\$ <u>193,954</u>
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses  Due to parent	\$ 22,000 24,712
Total liabilities	46,712
Stockholder's Equity	
Common stock, \$.01 par value - 100 shares authorized; 100 shares issued and outstanding Additional paid-in capital Accumulated deficit	1 295,064 (147,823)
Total stockholder's equity	147,242
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	\$ <u>193,954</u>

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

#### Revenues

Investment banking income Interest income	\$ 355,644 
Total revenues	358,144
Expenses	
Compensation and benefits Communications and occupancy Other operating expenses	294,897 15,500 <u>190,564</u>
Total expenses	500,961
Net loss	\$ <u>(142,817)</u>

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Com Sto		Additional Paid-in <u>Capital</u>		umulated <u>Deficit</u>	Sto	Total ckholder's <u>Equity</u>
BALANCE, January 1, 2005	\$	1	\$ 55,064	\$	(5,006)	\$	50,059
Contributions from parent			240,000				240,000
Net loss				(	142,817)	(	142,817)
BALANCE, December 31, 2005	\$	1	\$ <u>295,064</u>	\$ <u>(</u>	147,823)	\$_	147,242

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Cash flows from operating activities  Net loss  Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash  used in operating activities:	\$ <u>(142,817)</u>
Depreciation and amortization	2,258
Write-down of intangible assets	40,065
(Increase) decrease in operating assets:	(a a a a a)
Due from affiliates	(3,325)
Prepaid expenses	(6,750)
Increase in operating liabilities:	22.000
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	22,000
Due to parent	<u>24,712</u>
Total adjustments	78,960
Net cash used in operating activities	(63,857)
Cash flows from investing activities	
Purchase of furniture and equipment	(26,110)
Capital contributions from parent	240,000
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Net cash provided by investing activities	213,890
Net increase in cash	150,033
Cash at January 1, 2005	9,994
Cash at December 31, 2005	\$ <u>160,027</u>

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005

#### NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION

Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. (the "Company") is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. The Company is wholly-owned by Viscogliosi Brothers, LLC ("VB").

The Company provides and is engaged in private placements, investment banking, and underwriting services, and operates pursuant to SEC Rule 15c3-1(a)(2)(iv), with a minimum net capital requirement of \$5,000. The Company claims exemption from the requirements of SEC Rule 15c3-3 under Section (k)(2)ii of the Rule, and consequently, will not hold customer funds, nor will it be allowed to receive or hold securities.

#### NOTE 2 - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Investment banking revenues include fees and sales concessions earned from the Company's participation in securities offerings as a placement agent. Placement agent fees are recorded on settlement date.

Depreciation of furniture and equipment is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the respective assets.

The Company is a regular corporation for income tax purposes and uses the liability method to determine its income tax expense. Under this method, deferred tax assets and liabilities are computed based on differences between financial reporting and tax bases of assets and liabilities and are measured using the enacted tax rates and laws that will be in effect when the differences are expected to reverse.

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing these financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could vary from the estimates that were used.

#### NOTE 3 - <u>DUE FROM AFFILIATES</u>

This amount represents advances made to entities that are owned by VB. These amounts are due on demand and bear no interest.

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005

#### NOTE 4 - FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

		Useful Life
Furniture	\$12,354	7 years
Equipment	<u>13,756</u>	5 years
	26,110	
Less: Accumulated depreciation	2,258	
	\$ <u>23,852</u>	

Estimated

Depreciation expense was \$2,258 for the year.

#### NOTE 5 - INCOME TAXES

The Company has deferred tax assets of approximately \$59,000 relating to organization costs and net operating losses against which a valuation allowance has been established in full due to the uncertainty that they will be realized. Management periodically evaluates the recoverability of the deferred tax assets. At such time as it is determined that it is more likely than not that deferred tax assets will be realizable, the valuation allowance will be reduced.

At December 31, 2005, the Company had federal and state net operating loss carryforwards of approximately \$59,000, respectively. The losses may be carried forward for up to twenty years.

## NOTE 6 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The loan payable from VB in the amount of \$24,712 and the loans receivable of \$3,325 due from two entities owned by VB are non-interest bearing and due on demand.

During 2005, VB made capital contributions of \$240,000 to the Company.

The Company leases an operating facility from VB on a month-to-month basis with monthly rental payments of \$1,875. Total payments for the year ended December 31, 2005 amounted to \$15,500.

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS <u>DECEMBER 31, 2005</u>

#### NOTE 7 - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Company places its operating cash in commercial bank checking accounts. Bank balances may from time to time exceed federally insured limits.

## NOTE 8 - <u>NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT</u>

As a registered broker-dealer, the Company is subject to the SEC's Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c3-1. The Rule requires that the Company maintain minimum net capital, as defined, of 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness, as defined, or \$5,000, whichever is greater. At December 31, 2005, the Company had net capital of \$113,315, which exceeded its requirement of \$5,000 by \$108,315. The ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .41 to 1.

# VISCOGLIOSI & COMPANY, INC. COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-1 DECEMBER 31, 2005

Net	capital	:
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Stockholder's equity		\$147,242
Deductions and/or charges: Nonallowable assets: Due from affiliates Furniture and equipment Prepaid expenses	\$ 3,325 23,852 <u>6,750</u>	33,927
Net capital		113,315
Minimum capital requirement - the greater of \$5,000 or 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness of \$46,712		5,000
Excess net capital		\$ <u>108,315</u>
Aggregate indebtedness: Accounts payable and accrued expenses Due to parent		\$ 22,000 24,712 \$ 46,712
Excess net capital at 1,000 percent		\$ <u>108,644</u>
Ratio: Aggregate indebtedness to net capital		<u>.41 to 1</u>

No material differences exist between the above computation and the Company's computation included in Part IIA of Form X-17A-5 (unaudited) as of December 31, 2005.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY RULE 17a-5

Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. New York, New York

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Viscogliosi & Company, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2005, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under Rule17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provision of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons
- 2. Recordation of differences required by Rule17a-13
- 3. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the



SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of the inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2005 to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the SEC, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Schneider + associates LLP

Jericho, New York February 10, 2006